

HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT.

ARTILLERYMAN SHOT BY UNKNOWN NEGRO

Private James, of Fifty-eighth Company, Probably Fatally Wounded in Phoebus.

AUTHORITIES DON'T KNOW JUST HOW IT HAPPENED

Though Story First Told Police Was That Shooting Was Unprovoked, Later Indications Are That Fight Took Place—Unknown Assailant Makes His Escape.

Private D. T. James, a member of the Fifty-eighth company, Coast Artillery, was shot and probably fatally wounded last night about 10 o'clock at Fulton street and the Chesapeake & Ohio railway tracks, Phoebus. The wounded man is now in the hospital at Fort Monroe in a critical condition. It is feared that there is no chance for his recovery.

Considerable mystery surrounds the shooting and at an early hour this morning the police officers of Phoebus were unable to say just how it happened. A negro telephoned to the office of Dr. J. K. Vanderslice shortly after 10 o'clock saying that a soldier had been shot in Fulton street. The doctor hurried to the scene in his automobile and found James bleeding from a frightful wound in his side. Privates Yergley and Kline and two other soldiers whose names have not been learned were taken to the doctor's office, but upon making an examination of the wound and discovering its serious nature the doctor telephoned to the fort hospital and had the man transferred to the post in the ambulance.

Could not Locate Ball. It was found that a large bullet, probably, 38-calibre, had entered

James' side just below the heart, passed through both lungs and lodged probably in the liver. An unsuccessful attempt was made to locate the ball.

According to the story told the police, James and Kline were walking on Fulton street some distance ahead of the other soldiers, the entire party having just returned from a "kag party" at Shelton's store, about two miles from Phoebus. As they crossed the railway tracks a large, black negro stepped up to James and, saying, "You are the man I'm looking for," fired a pistol shot into the soldier's side. Immediately afterward the negro made off into the darkness, disappearing before the soldiers realized what had happened.

There Was a Fight. At first the police were inclined to believe that the negro had mistaken the soldier for another man with whom he had had trouble earlier in the night. Later, however, it became known that James and the negro who did the shooting had a fight, though nothing could be learned as to the origin of the trouble. Officers Johnson and Simpkins, who are investigating the case, found traces of a struggle at the scene of the shooting and picked up a club answering the description of the one said to have been used by James. Up to this time no clue to the identity of the soldier's assailant has been discovered.

James is a native of Kentucky. He is about 25 years of age and unmarried.

MR. RUEDIGER GOES TO RICHMOND AFTER MAPS

Survey of Oyster Rocks Adjacent to Armstrong Property to be Completed Early This Week.

State Surveyor Ruediger, who is resurveying the natural oyster rocks in James river for the State commission of fisheries, passed through Hampton last night on his way to Richmond. Mr. Ruediger was certain maps for use in connection with his work on the river.

Returning tomorrow morning Mr. Ruediger will resume work on the oyster rocks adjacent to the leased grounds of Armstrong Brothers. It is expected that this work will be completed within a day or two.

Although the surveyor would not discuss the matter, it is understood that up to this time no part of the Armstrong tract has been found to be within the natural rock lines.

AGED NEGRO MAN IS HIT BY C. & O. TRAIN

Struck Near Curry Street Crossing—Injuries Not Thought to be Fatal.

Henry Thornton, an aged negro man, was struck by a freight engine of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway in Phoebus yesterday and very painfully injured. Just how the old man escaped immediate death is a mystery. He was walking along the tracks near the Curry street crossing, when the freight train came upon him. He jumped, but the engine hit him in the back and knocked him some distance. His injuries are not thought to be fatal. Dr. George K. Vanderslice attended the old man and had him removed to his home.

NORTH DAKOTA IN ROADS.

Delaware and Other Ships of Fleet Expected Today.

The battleship North Dakota came into Hampton Roads yesterday afternoon from the Southern Drill Grounds, and it is expected that the fighter will go to the Portsmouth navy yard today. It was said that the North Dakota will remain in Portsmouth until next Wednesday.

From reports received at Old Point yesterday the battleships Delaware, Louisiana, Virginia and South Carolina will come to Hampton Roads today and all of them will later go to the Portsmouth navy yard.

If you cannot find it, go or 'phone to HULL'S CUT RATE DRUG STORE, Day 'phone 238, Night 'phone 280, Sat. and Sun.

Houses for rent—all sections. M. O. LACKEY. 25.

Fuller not only knows how to serve Devil Crabs, which are famous. But he also serves the best Oysters in town. 11.

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LOST. LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—Llewellyn setter pup (female), about five months old; white, with light brown patches and spots. Answers to name of "Freckles." Disappeared from the vicinity of Darling's Corner Monday, September 19th. Suitable reward for return to 60 Columbia avenue, Hampton, Va. 25.

DEDICATE CHAPEL TODAY

Protestant Services at National Soldiers Home.

BISHOP WILL BE PRESENT

Solemn Exercises Will Take Place This Morning at Most Unique Place of Worship—Half of Same Building Is Provided for Catholics.

Colonel Franklin Murphy, former governor of New Jersey and at present a candidate for the United States senate from his state, arrived at the National Soldiers' Home yesterday to attend the dedication of the Protestant side of the Franklin Murphy chapels this morning. Colonel Murphy is accompanied by his niece, Miss Murphy, and they will remain here several days. Colonel Murphy is manager of the Hampton branch of the Homes and is much interested in the dedication of the chapel which bears his name.

Right Rev. A. M. Randolph, D. D., bishop of the Episcopal Church of the Southern Diocese of Virginia, who will preside at the dedication, also, arrived at the Home yesterday and he is the guest of Rev. J. Marty, Nelfert, chaplain of the institution.

The dedicatory services will occur at 9 o'clock this morning and a number of the local clergymen will be present. Rev. Reverdy Estill, D. D., and Rev. J. M. Nelfert will assist the bishop in the ceremonies, while the full vested choir of old St. John's Episcopal church will render the music.

Program for Today.

The program for the dedication follows: Hymn—"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"—Congregation.

Confirmation Services by the Bishop. Page 547, Book of Common Prayer.

Hymn—"The Son of God Goes Forth to War."

Reading of Psalm—XXVI. King of Glory—Selah. Gloria Patri.

Lesson—I Kings VIII. Hymn—Anthem—"Rock of Ages." (Prof. Remick)—Choir.

Prayer. Benediction. Seven-Fold Amen.

Students Hampton Institute Unique Arrangement.

The Franklin Murphy chapels are probably the most unique places of worship in the United States, in that they make it possible for the Protestant and Catholic portions of the Home population to hold services during the same hour under separate chapels, which have the same main entrance. Both of the places of worship are connected with the front entrance by a large vestibule. The rear ends of the chapels form the ends of the letter "V," as the separation begins just in the rear of the entrance and parts with a wider breadth until the two pulpits are probably fifty feet away from each other.

For several years, Colonel Thomas T. Knox, the governor of the Home, has been studying the question of affording the proper facilities for both Protestants and Catholics for their worship, as under the old system one or the other had to give way or else use different hours for services. Colonel Knox finally submitted the double chapel scheme to the board of managers and today will see the dedication of the Protestant side. The chapels cost the government \$40,000 and each is fitted up with all the conveniences necessary for carrying out the proper forms of religious services.

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SERVICES TODAY IN HAMPTON CHURCHES

Subjects Announced by Various Pastors—Rev. J. E. Booker With Presbyterians.

Rev. J. E. Booker, of Farmville, superintendent of the Virginia Synodical Mission Board, will visit Hampton today and this evening he will preach to the congregation of the Presbyterian church. This afternoon Mr. Booker will speak at the Phoebus church at 4 o'clock. This morning Rev. W. S. Trimble, the pastor, will conduct the usual services in the Presbyterian church, delivering the fourth of a series of sermons on "Christian Service."

First Methodist. "A Word or Deed," is the subject announced for his sermon this morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. George W. Wray, pastor of the First Methodist church, while this evening his theme will be "A Cry for Pardon."

St. John's Episcopal. The usual services will be conducted this morning at 11 o'clock in old St. John's Episcopal church by the rector, Rev. Reverdy Estill, D. D.

Hampton Baptist. Rev. E. Pendleton Jones, D. D., will conduct the usual services in the Hampton Baptist church today and tonight the male choir will sing.

Memorial Baptist Church. This morning at 11 o'clock, and this evening at 8 o'clock, Dr. R. E. Gaines will preach at the Memorial Baptist church. Dr. Gaines is spoken of as an

excellent preacher and it is believed that the congregation is exceptionally fortunate in having this opportunity to hear him.

Men's Bible class will meet promptly at 10 a. m. All men are invited to this service.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Phoebus Baptist Church. Following the services this morning in the Phoebus Baptist church there will be several candidates baptized.

The pastor, Rev. J. M. Pilcher, D. D., will preach at 11 a. m., on "Baptism Symbolic of a Holy Life," and tonight at 8 o'clock on "Temperance."

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